

● **U.S. HIGHLIGHTS**

The United States is Canada's largest trading partner dominating all aspects of Canada's trade. In 1991, the U.S. accounted for 75% of Canada's exports of merchandise trade or \$109.6 billion. Not surprisingly, the U.S. also accounts for a substantial portion of jobs supported by business sector exports of \$102.6 billion. In 1991, business sector exports to the U.S. resulted in 1,132,380 export-supported jobs or 68.7% of all export-supported jobs.

For every one billion Canadian dollars, merchandise exports to the U.S. supported 11,039 jobs in Canada. Put another way, each \$90,590 of Canadian exports to the U.S. supported one Canadian job.

Table 3 divides the Canadian economy into 13 sectors, outlining the number of jobs supported by merchandise exports from Canada to the U.S. (Tables 3 - 7 should be read in light of the background provided in footnote 15 above).

TABLE 3

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS TO U.S.A. 1991

	TOTAL JOBS
MERCHANDISE GOODS:	
AGRICULTURAL & RELATED SERVICES INDUSTRIES	70,491
FISHING & TRAPPING INDUSTRIES	10,950
LOGGING & FORESTRY INDUSTRIES	21,952
MINING, QUARRYING & OIL WELL INDUSTRIES	51,323
MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	567,424
TOTAL MERCHANDISE GOODS	722,140